



U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

Check Status of FOIA Request

The Status of your USCIS FOIA request is now available online. Enter the control number that we provided after we received your request. The control number will begin with the letters NRC, COW, APP, etc.

If your request is pending, the status will indicate the position of your request relative to all pending USCIS requests in the same processing track.

If we processed and responded to your request within the past 6 months, you will see the date your request was processed.

Status information is updated daily.

Current Average FOIA Request Processing Times

Please note that these times do not include the days required to scan the request into our processing system. (All listed times are in business days)

USCIS uses a three-track system to process FOIA requests for A-File material.

- Track One (37 days): Simple requests.
- Track Two (109 days): Complex inquiries that normally require additional search and review time.
- Track Three (41 days): Requests by individuals scheduled for a hearing before an immigration judge.

USCIS uses a two-track system to process FOIA requests for non-A-File material.

- Track One (128 days)
- Track Two (283 days): Processing time impacted by sensitivity of records, volume of records and extent of review process.

USCIS uses a three-track system to process FOIA appeals.

- Track One (7 days)
- Track Two (15 days)
- Track Three (16 days)

If you would like to narrow the scope of your request to potentially qualify for faster processing, please contact:

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Enter your FOIA Control Number.

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Submit Status Check

Your request is currently number 448 of 852 pending requests in Track Two.
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